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SIR:

The following is a request for a certificate of correction in Serial Number 09/943,211, now Patent Number 7,466,983.

A certificate of correction under 35 USC 254 is respectfully requested in the above-identified patent.

The errors were the fault of both the applicant and USPTO and, accordingly, please charge <u>\$100.00</u> to our Deposit Account No. 50-1379. In the event that a further fee is required, please charge the amount to the same Deposit Account.

The exact locations where the errors appear in the patent and patent application are as follows:

In Column 10, Line 14, in Claim 1, after "whether" delete "of". (AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS DATED OCTOBER 13, 2006, PAGE 2 OF 10, CLAIM 1, LINE 7)

In Column 10, Line 56, in Claim 3, delete "node," and insert - - node; - -, therefor. (AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS DATED OCTOBER 13, 2006, PAGE 3 OF 10, CLAIM 6, LINE 14)

In Column 10, Line 57, in Claim 3, delete "that" and insert - - than - -, therefor. (AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS DATED OCTOBER 13, 2006, PAGE 3 OF 10, CLAIM 6, LINE 15)

In Column 11, Line 5, in Claim 4, delete "the" before "information". (AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS DATED OCTOBER 13, 2006, PAGE 4 OF 10, CLAIM 7, LINE 3)

In Column 11, Line 10, in Claim 6, delete "A" and insert - - The - -, therefor. (AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS DATED OCTOBER 13, 2006, PAGE 4 OF 10, CLAIM 10, LINE 1)

The requested corrections are attached on Form PTO 1050.

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